CSCMP DSA Criteria Definitions

To aid you in your efforts to submit the best possible nomination for your candidate we have provided some general comments on each of the five criteria used in the evaluation process. These should be viewed simply as general guidelines but are indicative of the key thoughts used to compare and contrast multiple nominees.

Recognition as an International Leader in SCM - an individual who has a demonstrable track record across multiple aspects of the global supply chain leading teams in industry, company and/or academic roles. An individual who has delivered step change industry/company shareholder value and/or ground breaking systemic research/education/training initiatives across multiple aspects of the global supply chain arena. An individual who has been recognized in multiple countries by supply chain professionals as a person who is a role model for other aspiring supply chain professionals.

Contributions above Normal Expectations of the Job – an individual who has distinguished themselves within the profession by contributing in areas beyond their “normal job”. This could be demonstrated in numerous ways such as mentoring or coaching other professionals or small businesses, utilizing their SC capabilities to improve aid or disaster relief efforts, personal involvement with educational and development programs serving the profession, etc. Identify any activity that demonstrates the nominee’s personal contribution in giving back their time and effort to improve the profession.

International Recognition as an Innovator in SCM – an individual who has impacted the profession in terms of developing new capabilities or being a thought leader. Have their efforts resulted in an order of magnitude difference; have they “changed the rules of the game”; have they adapted or applied existing concepts to achieve success in areas others have not been able to? Have their efforts been recognized and acknowledged in multiple countries and/or industries?

Education of the SCM Profession (both orally and written) – identify the extent to which the nominee (beyond their normal job requirements) has enhanced the awareness and understanding of the profession. Identify specific examples of presentations, written articles, speeches, blogs, webcasts, publications, etc. and how those added to the body of knowledge within the profession.

Distinguished Record of Contribution to the Discipline of SCM – identify the notable contributions made by the nominee. Have the contributions been in one or two primary areas or a broader impact across the supply chain? Does the individual standout among those achievers at the top of the profession? Has there been a sustained level of notable/outstanding contribution? Has the individual been recognized by other organizations or groups for their efforts?